SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 2 of this Act shall take effect October 1, 1989, contingent on the taking effect of Chapter (S.B. 1) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1989. However, if Chapter does not become effective, then Section 2 of this Act shall not take effect and shall be null and void without the necessity of further action by the General Assembly.

Approved May 19, 1989.

CHAPTER 314

(Senate Bill 144)

AN ACT concerning

Use of Dip Nets

FOR the purpose of clarifying the prohibition against the use of certain dip nets for taking bait fish under certain circumstances.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Natural Resources Section 4-617(c) Annotated Code of Maryland (1983 Replacement Volume and 1988 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Natural Resources Section 4-620(c) Annotated Code of Maryland (1983 Replacement Volume and 1988 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Natural Resources

4-617.

(c) A State resident who has secured a resident angler's license may fish by use of a dip net only from January 1 through April 15 only in the following nontidal waters: